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Motion granted 3/14/12. Class certification discovery extended to 4/19/12, motion for class certification due 4/9/12, opposition to be filed by 4/23/12 and reply due 4/30/12.

s/ James S. Gwin

JAMES S. GWIN
UNITED STATES
DISTRICT JUDGE

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

STATE OF OHIO, ex rel.
DAVID P. JOYCE
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF GEAUGA
COUNTY, OHIO,

Case No. 1:11-cv-02474

Plaintiff,

Hon. James S. Gwin

v.

MERSCORP, INC. et al.

Defendants.

JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND CLASS CERTIFICATION DEADLINES

Pursuant to Rule 6(b)(1)(A) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Rule 7.1(f) of the Local Rules, Plaintiff Geauga County, Ohio ("Plaintiff") and Defendant Bank of America, N.A. ("BANA") (collectively, the "Parties"), respectfully request that the Court extend by two weeks certain deadlines with respect to class certification proceeding contained in its Case Management Conference Plan/Order. The Parties submit that good cause exists for the requested relief, and in support state as follows:

1. This is a putative class action lawsuit on behalf of all Ohio counties, which was originally filed in the Court of Common Pleas for Geauga County on October 13, 2011 and removed to this Court on November 14, 2011.